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MINING INDUSTRY.

Resume of Important News of the Week.

THE RICH MINES OF ARIZONA.

Reports of Strikes and Mine Development from Many Districts in the Territory—A Season of Great Activity.

OLD DOMINION.

Old Dominion continues one of the stocks most actively dealt in on the Boston board, the number of transactions in O. D. last week being 4,255, and the price ranging from \$32 to \$39.65, closing at the latter figure. The only reason, apparently, why Old Dominion is not selling at \$50 or \$60 is failure to pay a dividend, and it may be truthfully added, the fact that it has not paid a dividend after years of continuous operation militates against the more active development of copper mining in Globe district. There is nothing like a steady dividend payer to attract capital for the development of other properties in the same district. Old Dominion is a good property, well equipped with machinery, ably managed here, and is making a very satisfactory output of copper from one furnace. Furthermore, all additions and improvements to the plant were practically completed last year, and the company is, at present, free from any extraordinary expenditures, and is producing copper at a moderate cost.

SOMBRENO BUTTE.

Much interest has lately been taken in the mineral deposits lying between Cherry creek and Sombreno Butte, where some rich copper and silver ore has been found. The most recent discoveries were made by James H. Bennett who, with others, has made a number of locations in that vicinity. Bennett's camp is about 40 miles north of Globe, three miles east of Cherry creek, and four miles northwest of Sombreno Butte. The first discovery was made on a large dyke or vein of quartz, which cuts up through the stratified formation, and can be traced for several miles, being fully twenty feet in width at places, and along which is found veins of ore, from ten to twenty inches in width, carrying copper silver glance and silver, assays of which have returned 38 per cent copper and from 283 to 1,013 ounces of silver per ton. In several places along this large dyke this class of ore has been found, as well as in other places in that vicinity, which are some distance from the main vein. The most promising feature of this new camp is an immense body of low grade ore, carrying copper, gold and silver, and is known as amygdaloid. As far as known at the present time, it extends from Cherry creek east about four miles, and in places is over 1,000 feet wide, where it can be seen on the surface, being covered at other places and capped with red sandstone. Samples taken across this body for over 1,000 feet returned from 2 to 5 per cent copper, \$1.15 in gold and eight ounces in silver. There are numerous stragglers cutting through this body which show much richer ore, but as very little work has been done on this proposition up to the present time it is difficult to estimate what they will develop into. Several parties are now doing location work on their claims. A crosscut is being run on one of the claims to cut a vein at a greater depth which shows rich ore on the surface. Quite a number of people from Globe and other places have recently visited this section, and new discoveries are reported to have been made since the first of the year. Water and wood are plentiful. Cherry creek never goes dry and all the gulches have more or less water in them at all times. Feed is also plentiful on the mountains and there is an abundance of cedar, juniper and piñon in the vicinity. This camp is reached by going down Pinal creek about ten miles, turning up a gulch to the right, going to Horse Shoe Bend on Salt river, thence crossing to Cherry creek, going up it about fifteen miles, then turning to the east and going about four miles; the whole distance being about 40 miles, which can be made in one day with a good saddle animal.

DRIPPING SPRINGS.

Harry Crowe came in yesterday from the Dripping Springs country, where he has been doing development work on his gold claim, located two miles from the Gila and Lawrence discovery. Harry has a good prospect and will return in a day or two to resume work. He reports much activity in that district in the way of prospecting and location work. The Lawrence brothers are sinking a shaft on the Gila and Lawrence property. The bonding of a group of copper claims to N. L. Amster of Boston, and

of the Sutherland claims to Boston parties, together with the active work being prosecuted by the Troy Copper company, has aroused a good deal of interest and it is believed the district will advance rapidly, it being rich in copper and gold.

LOCAL MINING NEWS.

Finletter & Harvey have a car and track in their lower drift and are driving the drift ahead and taking out some rich ore.

The transfer of fourteen miners from the Continental to the Globe mine, a few days since, gave rise to the report that work had been suspended at the Continental, which is not the case. A force of eighteen men is retained there and the development of that fine property is going ahead.

At Sieber and A. D. Williamson returned on Tuesday from the Williamson & Anderson copper mines on the Gila at the mouth of Dripping Springs wash, upon which they have been engaged for some time doing assessment and development work. Mr. Sieber informs us that they opened a body of fine ore, and expresses a high opinion of the property. A sample of the ore may be seen at the office of Geo. H. Whitte.

The new furnace at the Old Dominion has been in blast for ten days and copper is running from it as smooth as oil. It is considerably larger than either of the old furnaces.

Professor James Douglas arrived in Bisbee last week and will make a protracted stay in Arizona, according to the Review. He has been expected here for several days.

Territorial and General.

The Copper Queen company has 1,400 names on its pay roll.

The reported wolfram discoveries on the lower Sandy appear to have substantial foundation, as several claims have already been bonded to eastern investors. The ore shows a high percentage of the metal.—Mohave County Miner.

The Phoenix Gazette, of last Sunday, says: One and one-half millions of dollars of Arizona mining stocks were sold yesterday in New York, so says a New York telegram to the Gazette last evening.

The Helvetia Copper company expect to strike the Santa Cruz river level at a depth of 500 feet in the mines they have sunk in the camp. There will be no need of their considering the location of a smelter on the river or of pumping therefrom, a distance of nine miles to the mines. Their smelter site is an ideal one and they will install the new smelter on the new location.

Dan McGowan, the well known miner, has discovered and located two veins which carry a very rare mineral, known as aikinite. The first is located a few miles to the south of Prescott and the veins consist of ordinary white quartz streaked with what at first looked like wire silver. He thought it was gold and silver rock when he first made the discovery and had it assayed for the two metals, but found it free of both. He then forwarded some specimens to the Colorado school of mines, with the result that he now finds himself the possessor of two veins which carry a metal worth about \$75 a pound. It is used much in the arts.—Prescott Prospect.

The Prescott Prospect tells of a great strike made in the Crown Point mine five months ago, which was kept from the public. At the 400-foot level a crosscut was run 42 feet in ore to the foot wall when a tremendous body of water was released, flooding the mine to the 300 level. A second crosscut was then run at the 225-foot level and the ore body was found of the same width as below. The general average of the ore is from \$12 to \$15 in gold per ton. A big stationary pump is now on the ground and it will not be long before the water will be pumped out and sinking continued. The Crown Point is owned by Col. A. O. Brodie and the Van Buren family of New York, relatives of Col. Brodie, who is superintendent of the mine.

Prof. Henry Lampker of Silver King, is here attending to some business with the board of supervisors. He informs us that in running an open cut on the Black Diamond mine at Silver King last week, he cut through a vein of black oxide of copper two feet in width and there is every indication that the find is an important one. He has also uncovered some bodies of high grade copper ore in his own claims adjoining the Black Diamond. The history of the Anaconda may yet be repeated at Silver King. It will be remembered that the Anaconda was first worked as a silver mine and did not show any copper values worthy of attention till considerable depth had been attained on the mine. The present indications in the old silver mines at Silver King point to the same result.—Blade.

OFFICIAL PROCEEDINGS

Of the Board of Supervisors of Gila County.

GLOBE, Gila County, Arizona, January 8, 1901.

Pursuant to adjournment the board of supervisors met at 10 o'clock a. m. All members and the clerk present.

The following claims were then audited and allowed:

Old Dominion Commercial Co., supplies.....\$ 4.05
J. W. Ellison, 13 bear scalps..... 130.00
W. A. Packard, 5 lion scalps..... 100.00
W. R. Jones, 1 lion scalp..... 20.00

The board then proceeded to re-district the county roads, with boundaries, and distances as follows, to-wit:

Pioneer Road District No. 1.—From top of Pinal mountain to southern boundary of county line.

Globe No. 2.—From summit of Pinal mountain to the northern boundary line of Globe township.

Wheatfields No. 3.—From the northern boundary line of Globe to the summit on the Salt River road.

Summit No. 4.—From the summit of Salt River divide to Salt River crossing.

Salt River No. 5.—From Salt River crossing to where the road turns to Flippen's ranch on Tonto creek.

Cline No. 6.—From the forks of the road where the same turns off to Flippen's ranch to Webb's store.

Tonto No. 7.—From Webb's store to the summit of Tonto hill.

Rye No. 8.—From the summit of Tonto hill to the sign board at the forks of the road about one-half mile above Haught's store on Rye creek.

Ox Bow No. 9.—From the above mentioned point to where the Gila road intersects the Payson road about two miles south of Payson.

Payson No. 10.—From the above mentioned point to where the Natural Bridge road intersects the Payson and Pine road.

Pine No. 11.—From the above mentioned point to the county line.

Gila No. 12.—Commencing at A. M. Despain's ranch, by way of Gila and to intersect with the Payson road about two miles south of the town of Payson.

Mazatzal No. 13.—Commencing at the sign board at the forks of the road about one-half mile above Haught's store and running to the east fork of the Verde river.

Verde No. 14.—Commencing at Boardman's store in the town of Payson and running thence to the Chilson ranch on the Verde river.

Rim Rock No. 15.—From Landing flat to county line by way of Tunnel road.

Pleasant Valley No. 16.—From Pleasant Valley to the county line.

There being \$1,764 available for county roads, the board apportioned the same to the various road districts, as follows, to-wit:

No. 1, Pioneer.....\$200.00
" 2, Globe..... 175.00
" 3, Wheatfields..... 175.00
" 4, Summit..... 200.00
" 5, Salt River..... 125.00
" 6, Cline..... 125.00
" 7, Tonto..... 150.00
" 8, Rye..... 100.00
" 9, Ox Bow..... 100.00
" 10, Payson..... 175.00
" 11, Pine..... 200.00
" 12, Gila..... 85.00
" 13, Mazatzal..... 50.00
" 14, Verde..... 50.00
" 15, Rim Rock..... 100.00
" 16, Pleasant Valley..... 150.00

The following persons were appointed road overseers of the different road districts for the year 1901:

No. 1, Pioneer.....J. Cramer.
" 2, Globe.....John J. Cramer.
" 3, Wheatfields.....David Devore.
" 4, Summit.....Earl E. Bacon.
" 5, Salt River.....J. H. Baker, Jr.
" 6, Cline.....W. D. Tisher.
" 7, Tonto.....E. B. Packard.
" 8, Rye.....Silas Minker.
" 9, Ox Bow.....W. O. St. John.
" 10, Payson.....B. F. Stewart.
" 11, Pine.....A. M. Hunt.
" 12, Gila.....W. R. Neal.
" 13, Mazatzal.....
" 14, Verde.....Mart McDonald.
" 15, Rim Rock.....W. C. McLachlan.
" 16, Pleasant Valley.....G. O. Sixby.

The bonds for all road overseers of the different districts are placed at \$300, and the bonds to be supplied to the county for the different contracts awarded were placed at the following figures: S. B. Claypool, M. D., care of indigent sick, in the penal sum of \$5,000; Chas. Yetts, meals to prisoners, \$300; Antonio Galvano, for wood contract, \$300.

A petition was received asking that G. O. Scott be appointed assessor, also a petition asking that J. H. Thompson be appointed. On motion, and by unanimous vote of the board, J. H. Thompson was appointed.

The reports of the following road overseers were received and ordered to balance their respective accounts:

No. 2, Globe, W. F. Rawlings.
" 3, Wheatfields, David Devore.
" 4, Summit, E. E. Bacon.

No. 5, Cline, A. C. Dellinger.

" 6, E. B. Packard.
" 7, Silas Minker.
" 8, W. O. St. John.
" 9, B. F. Stewart.
" 10, M. J. Fuller.
" 11, W. R. Neal.
" 14, G. O. Sixby.

The reports of the probate judge, sheriff, district attorney and recorder were received and ordered filed.

The assessor is hereby authorized to have a map made of the townsite of Globe, showing the area of each lot or fraction thereof, together with the name of the owner, and when such map is completed and approved by said board the county will pay for same.

In accordance with the bid of the county physician the different county officers are hereby instructed to take such cases as post mortem examinations and other matters to the county physician, except in cases otherwise provided for by law.

All road overseers are hereby instructed not to overdraw the amounts apportioned to their respective road districts.

A petition was received from Mrs. E. M. Redman in regard to her taxes, and on motion, duly carried, same was granted as prayed for.

The clerk of the board then submitted his annual report, which is as follows, to-wit:

GLOBE, Gila County, Arizona, December 31, 1900.

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors.

GENTLEMEN:—I herewith submit my annual statement, as required by Paragraph No. 431, Revised Statutes of Arizona, showing the expenditures of the county for the last quarter of the year 1899 and the four quarters of the year 1900, as audited and allowed by the board of supervisors of Gila county:

COUNTY HOSPITAL.

Medical attendance and meals to patients.....\$3,080.56
Hospital steward and nurse hire..... 389.00
Wood..... 137.60
Repairs..... 161.50
Total.....\$3,768.66

COUNTY POOR.

Provision allowances.....\$374.60
Burial of paupers..... 250.00
Deporting indigents..... 95.10
Total.....\$719.70

DISTRICT COURT.

Jurors' per diem and mileage.....\$1,904.50
Sheriff's fees, including conveying prisoners to Yuma..... 6,216.10
Guards for prisoners..... 33.00
Clerk of court fees..... 772.25
Court commissioner..... 52.50

Extra expense, including extra legal assistance.....

Expert testimony..... 200.00
Meals to jurors..... 88.16
Drawing jurors..... 10.00
Meals to witnesses..... 18.00
Meals to prisoners..... 1,291.00
Feeding witnesses' horses and money advanced..... 82.85
Rent of rooms for grand and trial jurors..... 90.00
Interpreter..... 68.50
Total.....\$11,241.46

INSANE.

Examining insane persons.....\$139.80
Conveying insane persons to asylum..... 552.70
Total.....\$692.50

PRINTING AND PUBLISHING.

Publishing proceedings of board and legal notices, etc.....\$430.50
Blanks, books and stationery..... 502.03
Total.....\$933.13

MISCELLANEOUS.

Supplies for court house and jail.....\$ 856.18
Repairs for court house and jail..... 115.01
Electric lights for court house and jail..... 281.84
Wood for court house and jail..... 372.88
Bounty on scalps..... 5,370.00
Sanitary officer and sanitary work..... 85.00
Law library..... 615.00
Registering and election of officers, etc..... 350.00
Ice..... 101.95
Stamps, expressage and telegrams..... 156.86
Telephones..... 45.00
Livery service..... 26.00
Surveying 400-yard limit..... 10.00
Indexing probate court and delinquent tax list..... 152.00
Expediting county books..... 175.00
Donation to town to improve streets..... 100.00
Back salaries..... 679.19
Refund of taxes..... 167.47
Building bridge on Pinal creek..... 806.45
Making duplicate assessment roll..... 120.00
Total.....\$10,585.83

SALARIES OF COUNTY OFFICERS.

Probate judge.....\$ 375.00
Assessor and commissioner..... 1,014.76
Recorder..... 1,250.00

District attorney.....\$1,250.00
Treasurer..... 1,250.00
Sheriff..... 750.00
Jailor..... 1,500.00
District clerk..... 250.00
Supervisors, per diem and mileage..... 903.20
Total.....\$8,542.96

COUNTY ROADS.

No. 1, Pioneer.....\$ 125.00
" 2, Globe..... 125.00
" 3, Wheatfields..... 125.00
" 4, Salt River..... 125.00
" 5, Cline..... 150.00
" 6, Tonto..... 150.00
" 7, Rye..... 100.00
" 8, Ox Bow..... 100.00
" 9, Payson..... 160.00
" 10, Pine..... 150.00
" 11, Gila..... 100.00
" 12, Rim Rock..... 100.00
" 13, East Verde..... 40.88
" 14, Pleasant Valley..... 100.00
Total.....\$1,400.88

Total expenditures for which warrants have been issued.....\$37,885.12

Respectfully submitted,
R. J. WILLIAMS,
Clerk of Board of Supervisors.

The following preamble and resolution was then introduced, and on motion and by unanimous vote adopted, viz:

"Whereas, We, the members of the board of supervisors of Gila county, territory of Arizona, reposing full confidence in the ability and integrity of Judge Fletcher M. Doan; therefore be it

"Resolved, That on behalf of the taxpayers of Gila county we extend a vote of thanks to Judge Fletcher M. Doan for the efficient and economical manner in which he has performed the duties of his office; and be it further

"Resolved, That we earnestly desire the reappointment of Hon. Fletcher M. Doan as judge of the Second judicial district and associate justice of the supreme court of Arizona territory; and be it further

"Resolved, That these resolutions be spread upon the minutes of the board of supervisors, and that a certified copy thereof be forwarded to Hon. Fletcher M. Doan.

"J. G. OLDFIELD,
Chairman,
"R. J. WILLIAMS, Clerk."

The board then audited and allowed the following claims:

Frank Cline, one bear scalp.....\$ 10.00
J. W. Ellison, 17 bear scalps..... 170.00
J. O. F. rent of hall for grand jury..... 25.00
On motion the board adjourned.

Attest: R. J. WILLIAMS, Clerk.

QUAY ELECTED SENATOR.

HARRISBURG, Pa., Jan. 15.—After a memorable struggle which has for several years, Col. M. S. Quay, the regular republican nominee for United States senator, was chosen today by the Pennsylvania legislature to fill the vacancy caused by the expiration of his own term on March 4, 1899. His combined vote in the senate and house was 130, or three more than the number necessary to elect. Quay's commission has already been prepared and signed. He goes to Washington tomorrow afternoon and takes his seat in the senate Thursday. The democratic vote was almost solidly cast for Col. James M. Cuffy of Pittsburgh and that of the anti-Quay republicans was divided among nine favorite sons.

FRED DUBOISE, SENATOR.

BOISE, Idaho, Jan. 15.—At noon today the legislature elected Fred. T. Duboise as United States senator to succeed George L. Shoup. The vote cast for him included all but two of the fusion votes in both houses and he had a majority in each branch. The republicans voted for Senator Shoup and two dissenting fusionists, both democrats, for George J. G. Rich of the 5th district.

MORE RESIGNATIONS AT STANFORD.

STANFORD UNIVERSITY, Cal., Jan. 15.—A protest to the forced resignation of Prof. George E. Howard, head of the department of history in the Leland Stanford, Jr., university and the resignations of Prof. W. H. Hudson, in the English department, and Prof. C. N. Little, of the mathematics department, was tendered today.

Earnestness is the keynote of success. A half hearted policy applied to a business usually brings failure. The man who enters a business with a belief that he is going to fail will not be disappointed. A weak spirit accomplishes nothing. The essential qualities that bring success in any business are earnestness, energy and persistence. Without the application of these three qualities, a Rothschild or a Vanderbilt would be sure to fail. Money counts for much in business, but money alone will not bring success. A belief that advertising pays, when pursued with energetic persistence, often proves a better capital than much gold.—Printers' Ink.

THE LATE NEWS.

A Batch of United States Senators Elected.

A BRUTAL LYNCHING IN KANSAS.

Mob of Eight Thousand White Barbarians Burn the Negro Alexander and Carry Away Bits of Flesh for Souvenirs.

NEGRO BURNED AT THE STAKE

LEAVENWORTH, Kan., Jan. 15.—Fred Alexander, the negro who Saturday evening attempted to assault Miss Eva Roth and who was reported to have assaulted and killed Pearl Forbes in this city in November last, this afternoon was taken from the sheriff's guard and burned at the stake at the scene of his crime half a dozen blocks from the center of the city.

Probably 8000 people witnessed the lynching. The negro was taken from the cell at the state penitentiary at 3 o'clock this afternoon and loaded into a hack and brought to town. Fifty deputy marshals surrounded him and Deputy Sheriff Stance, Myers and Tom Brown sat in the hack on either side of him. Fifty buggies and wagons followed in procession. Just as the mob reached the doors, he was locked in the first cell on the east side of the cell house. All the doors of the jail were locked and the crowd first attempted to gain admission by peaceful means. Sheriff Everhardt refused to deliver the negro up. Then the crowd pushed its way to the side door, which by means of crowbars and cold chisels entrance was finally effected to the cell where Alexander was found crouched in a corner from which he was dragged yelling like a wild beast. Alexander stoutly asserted his innocence.

At a quarter past five o'clock Alexander was brought to the scene of the murder of Pearl Forbes at the corner of Lawrence avenue and Spence street, the exact spot where the murdered girl was found.

The howls of the crowd ceased quickly as the prisoner raised his shackled hands and began to speak. "You are going to kill me whatever I say, but you men are wrong. I want to tell you right now you've got the wrong man."

The first thing done was to plant a railroad iron upright in the mud. Around this improvised stake, boards and wood were piled. To this the man was chained in a standing position. The chains were wrapped around him. Coal oil was then poured over him. Before the match was applied, John Forbes, the father of the murdered girl, said: "Are you guilty of murdering my daughter?"

"Mr. Forbes, if that is your name, you have the wrong man," replied the doomed man.

Coal oil was then applied the second time, and while it was being done, Alexander called to his friends in the crowd and bade them goodbye.

John Forbes, father of the murdered girl, hit the match.

Again Alexander was asked to make a confession, but he replied that he had nothing to say. As the flames leapt about him, Alexander turned ghastly pale, and for the first time realized that his death was near. He clasped his hands together and began to swing to and fro while the crowd yelled. In less than five minutes he was hanging limp and lifeless by the chain that bound him.

When the fire died down sufficiently to allow the crowd to approach what remained of Alexander, there was a wild scramble to obtain relics, bits of wood, charred flesh, pieces of the chain, and everything that could possibly serve as a souvenir, was seized by the eager people.

The governor, it is said, was highly incensed at the warden's failure to obey instructions.

Just before the party left the penitentiary for the jail the warden requested and received a receipt for the delivery of Alexander in which the sheriff stated that he was able to protect the prisoner from mob violence.

Governor W. E. Stanley is very indignant at the lynching at Leavenworth and condemns Sheriff Everhardt of Leavenworth in unmeasured terms.

TOM PATTERSON ELECTED.

DENVER, Jan. 15.—Thomas M. Patterson was today elected United States senator to succeed Edward O. Wolcott. The vote was as follows:

House—Patterson, 58; Wolcott, 7.
Senate—Patterson, 33; Wolcott, 1; absent Meyer, republican.

Tomorrow both houses will meet in joint session to ratify today's ballot.

NO CHOICE IN MONTANA.

HELENA, Mont., Jan. 15.—Both houses of the Montana legislature voted in separate sessions for United States senator today. For the long term, to succeed Thomas H. Carter, who goes out of office March 4, Wm. A. Clark of Butte received a total of 47 votes, a majority of one over all. He did not, however, receive a majority in the house, and therefore a joint ballot will be necessary. Late tonight his friends are claiming that he will have at least 53 votes on the joint ballot.

For the short term, or the vacancy caused by the resignation of Senator Clark, the fusion strength is scattered, some dozen men being voted for. H. L. Frank of Butte led with 15 votes.